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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

JAMES D. MARKS, and ROBERT SCHIER

Application No: 09/315,574

Filed: 5/20/1999

For: NOVEL HIGH AFFINITY HUMAN  
ANTIBODIES TO TUMOR ANTIGENS

Examiner: Christopher H. Yaen.

Art Unit: 1642

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**AMENDMENT**

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

**OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 27, 2005, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks. The following documents are enclosed herewith:

- 1) A petition to extend the period of response for three months;
- 2) A copy of a Petition To Accept Unintentionally Delayed Priority Claim Under 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(3) filed with the Petitions Branch; and
- 3) Replacement Application Data Sheets.

Please amend the specification and/or claims as shown herein.